

# SOCIETY AND THE WOMEN'S CLUBS

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of the bride's parents, Miss Connors has many friends in this city and is also prominently identified with the winter colony at Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Schuber, whose wedding was one of the events of the early autumn, are passing their honeymoon at Yama Farms, Napa, N. Y. After November 15 they will be at home at 475 Summit avenue, St. Paul, Minn. Mrs. Schuber was Miss Margaret A. Thompson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Thompson. The wedding ceremony was celebrated at Alder, the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson at Yonkers-on-the-Hudson.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Carmen Kinnear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson S. Kinnear, to Charles Albert Smylie, son

of the Theatre Club, Mrs. John Hubbard Parker president, when the club resumed its meetings for the season at the Hotel Astor on Tuesday. A discussion of "Pollyanna" led by Mrs. Helen Wells was the feature of the afternoon, and taking part in it from the floor were Mrs. Parker, Miss Lily Bell, Mrs. James E. Kelly, Mrs. Eva Phipps, Mrs. George Finck and Mrs. Rebecca Friedman.

For the convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs to be held tomorrow at Roche for the club elected as its delegates Mrs. Frank E. Hadley, Mrs. W. W. Griffith and Mrs. Edward B. Jones, and as alternates Mrs. Mary E. Seely, Mrs. George M. Clyde and Mrs. Adolph Schaffmeyer.

Delegates for the meeting of the City Federation of Women's Clubs, which will be held on October 27 at the Hotel Astor, were also elected. They were Mrs. Helen Wells, Mrs. S. F. Hollender and Mrs. Eva Phipps, and the alternates chosen were Mrs. Wendell Seales, Mrs. George Finck and Mrs. W. W. Griffith.

The Lenox Whist Club, Mrs. John Kurrus founder and president, will begin its sixteenth season next month. On November 6 its members will meet for luncheon and cards at the residence of Mrs. Kurrus, 16 West 121st street. During the winter there will be twelve meetings of the club and also a luncheon and theatre party.

Dr. and Mrs. Kurrus closed their cottage at Elmhurst, N. J., last week and returned to town for the winter.

At the Hotel Gramatan in Bronxville a Halloween ball is being arranged by Mrs. Nellie Merritt. There will be the usual Halloween features, including

games and fortune telling. For several weeks the autumn handicap golf tournament has been in progress on the grounds of the hotel, and a series of Friday evening bridge parties have been a feature of the social life there.

Mrs. Belmont Tiffany gave such an interesting talk about the work of the Red Cross at the recent session of the woman's club of the Horace Mann school that a branch Red Cross society was formed in Bayonne, N. J., with Thomas Agnew, principal of the Horace Mann school, as president; Commissioner Horace Robertson, vice-president; Miss Lillian Clemens, secretary, and Mrs. J. H. Krebs, treasurer. The executive committee named includes James S. Coward, John N. Coward, A. S. Greighton, J. T. Snedden, Dr. P. N. Corbett, Frederic E. Chamberlin, F. E. Earle, Dr. S. L. Myers, the Rev. Ferdinand Wilson, the Rev. Peter E. Reilly and A. A. Smith.

To-morrow afternoon at the Hotel Astor the Society Card Club, Mrs. Harold George Wood president, will have its first meeting of the season. The sessions will be continued until April on the first and third Mondays of every month. Early in November Mrs. Wood will give a dance and musical for the members at the Plaza. The club's programme for the winter includes other dances in December and February, its annual rose bridge party and a final dance in April.

Arrangements for the bridge and euchre party for the benefit of the Ursuline Provincial Auxiliary work for the Ursuline convent are already under way. The entertainment will be given on January 6 at the Hotel McKim. Miss Teresa S. Mortley is the president of the auxiliary; Mrs. John Mitchell, Mrs. Denis W. Moran and Mrs. John J. Ryan its vice-presidents, and its other officers include Mrs. Frank Seymour, treasurer; Mrs. Edward M. O'Gorman and Mrs. John J. O'Connell, corresponding secretaries; Mrs. Philip Kearns, recording secretary, and Miss Teresa A. Keenan, financial secretary.

The New Yorkers Club, Mrs. H. H. Russell, president, will have a dance and card party on November 24 at the Hotel Astor. Part of the proceeds will be used for the club's booth at the bazaar of the Little Mothers' Aid Association.

There will be prizes for games and dance contests.

The Day of Sunshine Club, Mrs. Philip Simon founder and president, will have a dance given for its charitable work on Saturday by the Misses Emma Bernheim and Gladys Katzenstein of 315 West Ninety-eighth street.

The third of a series of Hawaiian dances will be given to-morrow evening at the Hotel Marcellus, Broadway and 103d street. The dances will take place on Monday and Thursday evenings throughout the season.

"As Camp With the American Women's League for Self-Defense" was the subject of Miss H. Celia Levy's talk yesterday afternoon at the first business meeting of the season of the Woman's Press Club, Mrs. Harry Holt Day president. The meeting was held as usual at the Waldorf-Astoria.

The Daughters of Peder Bonta, in New York, Mrs. Walter S. Cady president, will have their official home this winter at the Hotel Belvedere, Broadway and Seventy-seventh street. The club's first meeting of the season was held there on Tuesday afternoon.

Minerva Club, Mrs. Mary Stokes MacL Nutt president, will have its first board meeting of the season to-morrow at the Waldorf-Astoria. The club's first breakfast and social affair of the season will be on October 20. It will be Spanish American day, with Mrs. Horace Greeley Hart chairman of the programme and Mrs. E. Burton Williams chairman of the breakfast. Among the speakers of



Miss VIVIENNE KRAMICH  
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Miss PRUDENCE CLEVELAND SERRY  
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by a former marriage of Mrs. Edmund Le Roy Fox. Miss Kinnear has been prominently identified with society in this city. She was born in Canada and has spent a good deal of her time in travel and study in Europe.

Mr. Smylie is a son of the late Major Charles A. Smylie and a great-nephew of Smith, late one time Mayor of New York. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCall Elliott of Bryn Mawr, Pa., announced recently the engagement of their daughter, Miss Nathaniel Wheeler Elliott, to Lieut. Fitzhugh Green, U. S. N. Miss Elliott has been taking a course in the training school for nurses at the Pennsylvania Hospital. She is a sister of Mrs. Sidney P. T. Brock and of Miss Suzanne Elliott, who will be introduced to society at a reception to be given by her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Wheeler, at Bryn Mawr on Tuesday. Miss Elliott has a brother, Lieut. Richard McCall Elliott, Jr., at the naval training station in Newport.

Of interest to society in Philadelphia and this city was the engagement announcement recently of Miss Eugenia Carter Low, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Low, to Livingston Ludlow Biddle of Philadelphia. Miss Carter is a member of a family that for many years has been prominent in Philadelphia. She is a granddaughter of the late Bernard Carter, her mother having been Miss Eugenia Carter before her marriage. Mr. Biddle is a grandson of the late Anthony J. Drevel of Philadelphia. No date has been set for the wedding.

The engagement was announced last week of Miss Emma Wilder of Farming, L. I., and Bowdoin B. Crowninshield of Marblehead, Mass., daughter of Thomas W. Lawson's yacht Independence. Mr. Crowninshield has for many years been prominently identified with yachting.

With the opening of the woman's club season the usual round of entertaining has begun and many announcements of luncheons and breakfasts are being made. The Rotary Club of America, of which Mrs. A. M. Palmer is president, will have its annual breakfast on November 1 at the Hotel Astor. It will be the second of a series of dances, the first of which was held last Wednesday at the St. Andrew and was for the benefit of a hospital for children who had infantile paralysis.

Under the patronage of Mrs. H. Snowdon Marshall, Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe, Mrs. Mark W. Foster, Mrs. W. Wilson Miller, Mrs. E. M. Timmins, Mrs. Walter L. McKelvie, Mrs. Lawrence F. Braine, Mrs. John J. Tonkin, Mrs. Frank Merrill Seaman, Mrs. Henry Pearson, Mrs. J. Horton Hall, Mrs. George H. Gould, Mrs. David Huxley, Mrs. George Gordon Battle, Mrs. John Strong Foster, Mrs. Charles W. Mix, Mrs. Henry J. Soria, Mrs. J. Harvey Dew, Mrs. Henry Charles Mosak, Mrs. Harry C. Abell, Mrs. Rachel Carter, Mrs. John Quay, Mrs. Clarence Fulkerson and Mrs. T. Harrington Temple. The Circle of Arts under the direction of the Misses Ellen and Emily Seiple will give a series of two supper dances this season in the Empire Room of the Waldorf-Astoria. They will be held on November 17 and 20, December 15 and January 5 and 26.

## GENERAL NOTES OF SOCIETY.

Among the earliest charitable entertainments of the season will be the black and white ball to be given at the Hotel Astor on November 11 for the benefit of the Empress Sisterhood of Personal Service, of which Mrs. Alexander Kohut is president. Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff is the honorary chairman of the committee in charge; Mrs. I. N. Spiegelberg, chairman, and Mrs. Sidney C. Berg, vice-chairman. The treasurer is Mrs. Henry Meyer.

Among the entertainments Mrs. William Blumstein, Mrs. Abram Elkus, Mrs. Isaac Gluski, Mrs. Benjamin J. Greenhut, Mrs. J. B. Greenhut, Mrs. Benjamin Guggenheim, Mrs. Louis Gluski, Mrs. Arthur Hahle, Mrs. Henry Morgenstern, Mrs. Frederick Nathan, Mrs. Adolph S. Ochs, Mrs. S. Schuchman, Mrs. I. N. Seligman, Mrs. Richard Sidenberg, Mrs. Jo-

seph Silverman, Mrs. Benjamin Stern, Mrs. Oscar Straus, Mrs. Percy Straus, Mrs. Felix M. Warburg, Mrs. Frank L. Wolf, Mrs. Randolph Guggenheimer, Mrs. Charles Oppenheimer, Mrs. Arthur Lippor, Mrs. Henry M. Zuckerman, Mrs. Ralph Schindler, Mrs. William Levy, Mrs. Nathan J. Miller, Mrs. Robert Offenberg, Mrs. Walter S. Mack, Mrs. Albert Stern and Mrs. Horace Saks.

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